

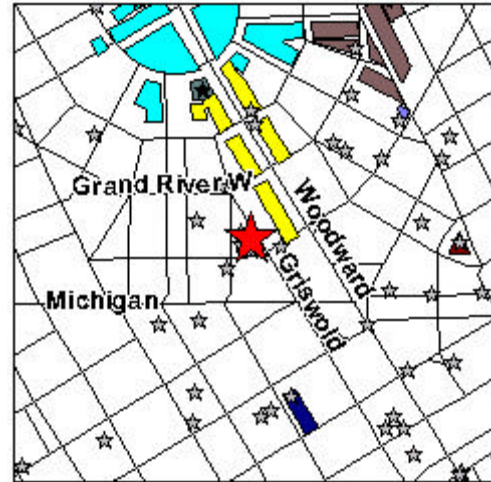
## **Farwell Building**

Address: 1249-59 Griswold

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Farwell Building, 2002



### **Historic Overview:**

*The Farwell Building, a rectangular, eight-story brick building is a fine example of early twentieth century commercial architecture. The interior features a Tiffany mosaic ceiling and marble walls. Named for the estate of Jesse H. and Emmer J. Farwell, the building was completed in 1915 from plans by Detroit architect Harrie W. Bonnah of the firm Bonnah & Chaffee. The Russel Wheel and Foundry Company of Detroit created the decorative and structural ironwork for the building. In 1956, the Farwell was significantly altered: the ornate terra cotta cornice with Pewabic tiles was bricked over and the ground level underwent significant changes. Higgins Management Company purchased the Farwell from the Detroit Historical Society during the 1970s and renovated the building for office space.*

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